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Report on the working of the Mysore
Factories Regulation during the year 1905

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File No. 23

FILE HEADING.

*Report on the working of the Mysore
Factories' Regulation IV of 1892, for the calendar year
1905*

From

The District Magistrate of Kolar.

No. $\frac{6697}{425}$

Dated 11.2.06

Received 16.2.06

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

*Submits his report on the working of
the Factories Regulation in his District, for the year 1905,
together with the statement prescribed in Govt. Proceedings no.
853-69/J., dated the 29th October 1903.*

NOTES AND ORDERS.

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From

The District Magistrate of Mysore

No 979, dated the 21st March 1906

States that there are no factories in his District falling within the scope of the Factories Regulation, that Mateson's Works & Saw Mills of Hunsur will be registered from the 1st of April 1906 and that it is not necessary to register the manure mills of Messrs Patric Hay & Sons of the same place.

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From

The Same officer.

No 1013, dated the 30th March 1906.

States that, according to Section 5 of the Mysore Factories Regulation, no other medical officer except the Civil Surgeon is appointed as a certifying Surgeon and recommends that, in a place like Hunsur where a factory has to be registered, the local medical officer is the apothecary be appointed certifying Surgeon for the purposes of the Factories Regulation.

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From

The District Magistrate of Kadir

No 690, dated the 31st March 19

States that there are no factories in his District falling within

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with separate
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The scope of the Factories Regulation

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The District Magistrate of Shimoga

No 899, dated the 31st March 1906
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States that there are
no factories in his District falling within
the scope of the Factories Regulation.

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From

The District Magistrate of Hassan

No 826, dated the 31st March 1906
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States that there are
no factories in his District falling within
the scope of the Factories Regulation.

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From

The District Magistrate of Tumkur

No 842, dated the 4th April 1906

States that there are no
factories in his District falling within the
scope of the Factories Regulation.

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From

The District Magistrate of Chitaldrood

No 506, dated the 20th April 1906

States that there are no
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the scope of the Factories Regulation, that
a company which goes by the name of
'The Tadapatry Cotton Press Company Limited

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which has its registered office at No 7, Armenian Street, Madras, is reported to have been working at Davangere employing on an average 29 adults & 7 children per day and that another company which is unregistered & which goes by the name of Kiratal Nagantala & Co, has been lately started in the same place, employing on an average 22 adults per day.

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From

The District Magistrate of Bangalore

No S. 793, dated the 24th April 1906

Submits his inspection

report on the working of the Factories Regulation in his District, for the year 1905 Submitted. Under Govt Proceedings No 853-69, dated the 29th October 1903 the reports are all due on or before the 1st of March in each year. But they have been despatched in the following order.

By the Dist Magte of Kolar On the 11th Feb 1906

— do ——— Mysore. 21st March

— do ——— Kadur. 31st March

— do ——— Shimoga. 31st March

— do ——— Hassan. 31st March

— do ——— Tumkur 4th April

— do ——— Chitaldroog 20th April

— do ——— Bangalore 24th April

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From

The District Magistrate
Kolar District

To

The Secretary to the
Govt of Mysore, Gen.
& Rev. Dept., Bangalore

Dated

11th

February, 1906

Despatched

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Received

General No.

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Enclosure No.

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Report on the working
of the District's Population
for the Calendar 1905

From

K. P. Puttanna Chetty Esq.,
District Magistrate,
Kolar District.

To

B. K. Venkataradda Iyengar
Esquire,
Secretary to the Govt. of
Mysore, General and
Revenue Deptts.,
Bangalore.

Dated 11th } February 1906
Despatched 14 }

No.: 6697
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Enclosure No: 1

Sir,

Adverting to Government
Proceedings no: $\frac{853-69}{g}$ dated
29th October 1903, I have
the honor to forward
herewith the following
report on the working
of the Mysore Factories
Regulation IV of 1892
and the rules framed
thereunder for the year
1905.

2. The Goribidnur Sugar
factory is the only one in
the

Name, Proprietorship and
management of the factory.

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the District coming under
the operation of the Fac-
-tories Regulation. Messers
Aibuthnot and Co: are the
proprietors of the factory.
and Mr A. Forrester continued
to be their agent at Gori-
bidnur and was in imme-
-diate charge of the work-
-ing and internal manage-
-ment of the factory &
during the year.

3. The factory was &
exempted from the pro-
hibitions as to Sunday
labour in Government
Proceedings No: 126- (3 of
1904-5) Dated 16th July
1904. The shifts conti-
-nued to be 2 in number
with an interval of 2 hours
between

Working days
and shifts.

between each. 5

Sanitary conditions and
arrangements.

4. The sanitary arrangements in the factory and its precincts continued to be satisfactory. The mill-house has ample ventilation. It is reported that the cooly lines are kept clean and that the supply of water for drinking and washing purposes is sufficient. The want of a latrine for the use of coolies referred to in the last year's report has been supplied by the erection of one during the year under report. The factory commands a healthy environment as already reported.

Operations

5. The new employed
were

were both local and
from outside and belonged
to different castes con-
-sisting of Mahomedans,
Sudras, Native Christians
and pariahs. The
average daily number
of employees was 170 men.
Their general health
during the year was
good.

6. No women or children
are employed for work
inside the factory.

7. The factory is re-
-ported to have been
inspected once by the
Personal Assistant to
the Senior Surgeon and
Sanitary Commissioner,
twice by the District
Medical Officer and 71
times by the local Hos-
-pital Assistant during
the

The employment of
women and
children.

The fencing of machinery
and mill-gearing

Accidents and prose-
-cutions

Inspections.

the year.

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8. All the machinery and mill-gearing are properly protected. The two cisterns by the way side which required fencing, are now reported to have been duly protected by railings.

9. There were no accidents during the year nor were there any prosecutions under the Factories Regulation.

10. I inspected the factory on the 17th Feb: 1905 during the Yamabandy of the Taluk, and found everything satisfactory. It was inspected once by the Assistant Commissioner and 1st class

Magistrate

Magistrate, Chickballapur

Division and twice by
the local Magistrate
during the year.

11. The statement
prescribed in Govern-
ment Proceedings no:

General

853-69 dated 29th Octo-
ber 1903 is submitted
herewith.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most Obedient Servant,

~~W. H. Cunniff~~
District Magistrate,
Kolar District.

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1906
From
The Dist Magistrate
of Mysore

To
The Secretary
Genl & Rev Dept

Dated 21
Despatched 22 March

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General No. 979
No.

Enclosure No.

States that Matheson's Mills
will be regd. under Factories Reg from
1-4-06 & that it is not necessary to
register the Mills of Messrs Patric Kr

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7 Dy/superintendent's office
Mysore district, dated the
21st March 1906.

B. K. Venkataravada Sengar Esq
Secretary to the Government
of Mysore
General and Rev departments
Bangalore.

Adverting to Government
Proceedings 853-69 dated 29th October
1903 directing that an annual
report should be submitted on
the working of the Mysore Factories
Regulation and the rules thereunder
I have the honor to state that there
are no factories in this district
which have been brought under
the Regulation till the Calendar year
1905.

2. As the two factories at
Bannur which were intended to
be registered, I have decided to
register Makeson's works and saw
mills from the 1st April 1906, and
have intimated the same to the
managers of the works. The no
of operatives in the sawmills

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mills of Messrs Perdue Kay and
son being only 47, I have
considered it unnecessary to
bring them under the Regulation.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

Wm Spence
District Magistrate
Mr. Perdue Kay
Mr. Perdue Kay

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Statement

Serial no of factory's	name and locality of factory	nature of industry	nature of moving power	Amount of moving power	Daily number of opera- -blyes.				
					Adults			Childs	
1	2	3	4	5	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
-	Goribidooor Sugar Factory	Sugar Manufacture	Steam power	3 Boilers. 2 always at work 100 Horse power	170		170		

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From M. Chengiah Chetty Esq, B.A.
District Magistrate of
Madurai

To
B. H. Venkataravadarangar Esq
Secretary to the Govt of Mysore
General and Revenue Depto

Dated 31st March

Despatched 1st April 1906

Received

General No. 690
No.

Enclosure No. nil

With reference to his no 2636
dated 28th instant, has the
honor to report that there are
no factories in this District,
fulfilling all or any of the
conditions of the definition
of the word "factory" in Section 2
of the Mysore Factories Regula-
tion II of 1892.

G. Chengiah
District Magistrate
of Madurai.

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File no 2370588
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From M. S. Narayana Rao
District Magistrate
Shimoga

To B. K. Venkataravund
Secretary to Government
General Revenue Dept.

Dated 31st March 1906.

Despatched

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General No. 899
No. J 20

Enclosure No.

With reference to reminder
No. J. 2632 of the 28th
Instant, States that
there are no factories in
this District falling within
the scope of the Factories
Regulation.

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From,

M. S. Narayana Rao Esq. in
District Magistrate,
Shimoga.

To, B. K. Venkatarudraiah Esq.
Secretary of Government
General & Revenue Dept.

Dated 31st March 1906.

No $\frac{899}{520}$

With reference to his
Circular No J. 2632 of the 28th
Instant, has the honour to state
that there are no factories
in this District falling within
the Scope of the Factories Regulation.

M. S. Narayana Rao

District Magistrate
Shimoga.

J. S. V.

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From

P. R. W. Wetherall Esq
District Magistrate
Hassan

To

B. K. Venkataradiengar Esq
Secy to the Govt of H S H the
Maharaja of Mysore
Genl Res Dept., Bangalore

Dated

21st March 1906

Despatched

Received

General No. 826
No. S

Enclosure No.

With reference to my order
No 2621 dated 28th inst
has the honour to state
that there are no factories
in this District to be
styled as such under
the Mysore Factories
Regulation IV of 1892.

P. R. W. Wetherall

District Magistrate
Hassan

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From

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K. Doraswami Iyer Esq
District Magistrate
Tumkur District

To

B. K. Venkata Narada Zangar Esq
Secretary to the Government of
H. H. The Maharaja of Mysore

Dated 4/4/06 } Genl. & Rev. Depts

Despatched 3 April 1906

Received

General No. 842
No.

Enclosure No.

With reference to
his no: J. 2633 dated
28th March 1906 re the
report on the working
of the Mysore Factories
Regulation and Rules
thereunder, undersigned
has the honor to state
that there are no such
factories in this District
as defined in Sec. 2 of
the Regulation referred
to above.

B. K. Venkata Narada

for District Magistrate

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Statement showing the measurements and space of factory in Davangere Taluk -
Messrs. Kivalal Maganlal & Co.

Name and Situation of Factory.	Name of occupier.	Measurements and cubical contents of each room in the Factory.	Area of the floor space of any room shown in the preceding column occupied by the machinery or other fixtures -	Remarks -
Kivalal Maganlal & Co. Ginning factory Davangere.	Kivalal Maganlal	Platt. gin. house 4760 c. ft. Veranda. 288 c. ft. Sawgin house 2385 c. ft. Oil engine room 1458 c. ft. Steam engine room 1468 c. ft. Store house. 253 c. ft. Big godown 9680 c. ft. Open shade godown 2120 c. ft. Servants quarters No 1. 1926 c. ft. " " No 2 1908 c. ft. Office room 2580 c. ft. Smithy house open 210 sq. ft.	216 sq. ft. 72 sq. ft. 50 sq. ft. 68 1/2 sq. ft. " " " " " "	

Dated 17.4.1906 }
Davangere 2

Union
Magistrate

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Statement showing the measurements and space of factory.
in Davangere taluk. Messrs. Binny & Co.

Name and Situation of Factory.	Name of Occupier.	Measurements and cubical contents of each room in the factory.	Area of the floor space of any room shown in the preceding column occupied by the machinery or other fixtures -	Remarks -
The Tadpatri Cotton Press Coy. Ltd. Regd. Office No 7 Armenian Street Madras.	Messrs. Binny & Co. Secretaries & Treasurers -	Press Room 3990 sq. ft. 61845 cu. ft. Engine " 684 12312 Rope ally - $382\frac{1}{2}$ $4972\frac{1}{2}$ Ginning Room 1050 15750 . Opener - 370 3330 . Boiler House 405 $6682\frac{1}{2}$	Runners $72\frac{1}{2}$ sq. ft. Press 49 sq. ft. cleaning cot 430 sq. ft. Engine 70 sq. ft. Belting $37\frac{1}{4}$ sq. ft. nil Opener $79\frac{5}{16}$ sq. ft. Boiler $181\frac{1}{2}$ sq. ft.	

D/- 17-4-906
- Davangere Taluk

Magistrate

Statement to accompany Annual District Re-

Name of District

Serial number of factory	Name (and locality) of factory	Nature of industry	Nature of moving power	Amount of moving power—	Average daily number of operatives employed—			Whether the factory is worked mainly (1) by shift or (2) by middle stoppage or (3) otherwise—			Whether a general holiday is— or ordinarily given (1) on Sunday, or (2) on varying week days, or (3) whether factory is exempted under Section 5 (2) (c) or 4 under Section 5 (2) (d) of the Regulation or 5 other—		
1	2	3	4	5	Males—	Females—	Total	Males	Females—	Total	Total of Columns 8 & 11	13	14
1	The Tadapatri Cotton Press Coy. Ltd. Regd. office 807 Arminium Street Madras.	Cotton Pressing	Steam Engine	20. Horse power—	13	16	29	5	3	8	37	134 stoppage 1 1/2 hours. 12 noon 6-1-30 P.M.	No work on Sunday.
2	Serial magandal & co. Ginning factory Bangalore	Cotton Ginning.	(1) Steam Engine. (2) Oil Engine—	(1) 8 Horse power (2) 10 B.H.P.	8	14	22				22	134 stoppage one hour 12.5 1 P.M.	No work on Sunday.

Dated 17th April 1906.

Davangere

ent on the working of the factories Regulation 1892
Chitalrooy Taluk Davangere. —

Number of accidents.				Number of persons convicted during the year										No. of inspections made during the year					Days worked—		
Fatal	Serious	Minor	Total	Under Section 15(1) of the factories Regulation clauses—										Total of columns 28 & 29	By Magistrates.	By special inspectors of factories	By medical officers.	By other officers (if any)		Total.	
				A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	Total of columns 19 to 27								Under Section 15(2) of the factories Regulation
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36
																12				12	
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Minors
Magistrate
2nd class

Submits his inspection
report on the working
of the factories Ref^u IV
of 1892 in the District
for the year 1905.

Office of the District Magistrate, ,
Bangalore District.

Dated Bangalore, 24th April 1906.

S.No. 775

From ,

D. Devaraj Urs, Esquire,
District Magistrate,
Bangalore District.

To ,

B.K.Venkata Varada Iyengar, Esquire,
Secy.to the Govt.of H.H.the Maharaja of Mysore.
General and Revenue Departments.

Sir .

As advised in Government Order No.853-69/J. of the 29th October 1903, I have the honor to submit my inspection report, on the working of the Factories Regulation IV of 1892 in this District for the year 1905.

1. There are only two Mills in the City, Viz, (1) The Bangalore Woollen, Cotton and Silk Mills Co., Limited, (2) The Mysore Spinning and Manufacturing Co., Limited, falling under the Regulation and are situated in the same places as reported in my last year's report.
2. The registers C, D & E as prescribed in the Regulation have been maintained properly and notices in English and Vernacular showing the working hours are posted on the boards at the entrance of the premises by the former Company; but in the latter only register " C " is maintained and a notice in English showing the working hours as well as certain rules -- for the guidance of the working class is posted on a board at the entrance. The notice thus posted ought to have been in vernacular also as most of the operatives employed are quite ignorant of the English Language. During my last year's inspection, when I pointed out the same error to the Agent, he stated that the necessary bound registers would be opened shortly and

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that he would get the notices also printed in vernacular for the guidance of the operatives. I am sorry he has not carried out my instructions till now.

3. The details that had to be entered separately in registers D & E prescribed by Government, regarding adults, women and children were all mixed up in one form, much to the confusion of the Inspecting Officer, and the entries were made on loose sheets. He has been again directed to rectify all the errors pointed out now and to maintain proper bound registers &c., in future.

4. The statement herein enclosed shows the daily average number of operatives of both the sexes, adults as well as children working in the Mills during the year under report. It was 1200 in the former Mills ^{and 714 in the latter Mills} as against 1132 and 409 respectively, in the year previous. Hindus, Mahomedans, Native Christians and Eurasians are employed as operatives. The business is done from 6 A.M., to 6 P.M., in the former Mills and from 6-30 a.m., to 6-30 p.m., in the latter Mills with a midday stoppage for half an hour. And some privileges are also allowed during working hours to women and children.

5. The Mills are not worked on Sundays and important native festive days. Children under 9 years are not allowed to work and those entertained on work have been certified to by the certifying Surgeon under Section 5 of the Regulation. Fresh entertainments are insisted on being certified by the Surgeon. a)

6. Steam Engines of 500 normal horse power are made use of in working by the Mysore Spinning and Manufacturing Co., Ltd., and Electricity is made use by the Bangalore Woollen, Cotton and Silk Mills Co., Ltd., For the last 7 months since the introduction of electric lighting into the City the quantity of power used is about 500 horse power. The steam power has been entirely discontinued since then and the change is fairly satisfactory. The machinery and Mill gearing are protected by proper fencing and sufficient arrangements are made for the provision of good

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ventilation. The roof of the Mysore Spinning and Manufacturing Company was formerly made up by lime sheets and the heat was unbearable for the operatives during the day. It is now pleasing to find that that roofing has been changed to one of tiles having regard to the comforts of the operatives.

7. There were 2 accidents in the former Mills and 6 in -- the latter Mills as against 3 and 2 respectively during the previous year. The accidents were all minor nature due to the --- carelessness of the operatives themselves.

8. The latrine of the former Mill, is in a good sanitary condition and arrangements are made for the removal of the night soil daily twice. There is also a good supply of water. But the present latrine arrangement in the Mysore Spinning and Manufacturing Co., is not satisfactory. It is not built on approved style. The Agent has been directed to have it attended to at an early date. There is a well in the premises but without water. Two or three men are employed for supplying water to the workmen, from a distant public fountain. A separate fountain is quite necessary in the premises. The Agent informed me that he had applied to the Water Works Engineer to have a fountain fitted up in the premises and I directed him to hurry it up by writing to the Engineer again.

9. The trade is in a prosperous state in both the Mills and the Departments are almost the same as were in the previous year.

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I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

W. H. Bunch

for District Magistrate,

Bangalore District.

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.GENERAL AND REVENUE
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Date of issue

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Signed by

M. P. Ramaswamy

The following letters
from the District Magistrates
of Districts submitting ~~the 24th~~
reports under the Mysore Factories
Regulation IV of 1892, for the
year 1905.

~~ORDER THEREON.~~ No.

1) Letter No. 6697/425,
dated the 11th February 1906,
from the District Magistrate
of Kolar.

[Print in extenso with
enclosures.]
2) Letter No. 979, dated
the 21st March 1906, from

SUBJECT

the District Magistrate of Mysore,
stating that there ~~are~~ ^{were} no factories
in the Mysore District ~~which~~ ^{of the kind}
~~referred to in~~
~~have been brought under the~~
Factories Regulation ~~till the~~ ^{in the year 1905,}
~~Calendar year 1905,~~ that Mateson's
Works and Saw Mills ^{of Hunsur} will be
registered from the 1st of April
1906, and that it is not necessary
to register the Manure Mills of Messrs
Patric Hay & Son of the same
place, the number of operatives
in the Mills being only 47.

3) Letter No 1013, dated the
30th March 1906, from the District
Magistrate of Mysore, stating that,
according to section 5 of the Mysore
Factories Regulation, no other
medical officer except the Civil
Surgeon is appointed as a
certifying Surgeon, and
recommending that, in a place
like Hunsur where a factory
has to be registered, the local

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~~medical officer, i.e., the apothecary~~
~~be appointed a certifying Surgeon~~
~~for the purposes of the Factories~~
~~Regulation~~

4.) Letter No 690, dated
 the 31st March 1906, from the
 District Magistrate of Kadur,
 stating that there are no factories
 in the Kadur District fulfilling
 all or any of the conditions of
 the word "Factory" as defined
 in Sec 2 of the Mysore Factories
 Regulation.

5.) Letter No 899/J 20, dated
 the 31st March 1906, from the
 District Magistrate of Shimoga,
 stating that there are no factories
 in the Shimoga District falling
 within the scope of the Factories
 Regulation...

6.) Letter No 826/S, dated
 the 31st March 1906, from the
 District Magistrate of Hassan,
 stating that there are no factories
 in the Hassan District as defined
 in Sec 2 of the Factories Regulation.

7.) Letter No 842, dated
 the 4th April 1906, from the
 District Magistrate of Tumkur,

stating that there are no
factories in the Tumkur
District as defined in Sec 2
of the Factories Regulation IV
of 1892.

8) Letter No. 506, dated
the 20th April 1906, from the
District Magistrate of Chitaldroog
stating that there are no factories
in the Chitaldroog District
falling within the scope of the
Factories Regulation; but that
a company which goes by the
name of "The Tadapatry Cotton
Press Company Limited" & which
has its registered office at No. 7,
Armenian Street, Madras, has
been working at Davangere,
employing on an average 29
adults & 7 children per day
and that another company which
is unregistered & which goes by
the name of Hiralal Maganlal
& Co. ^{was} ~~has~~ been lately started in
the same place, employing on
an average 22 adults per day.

9) Letter No. S. 793, dated
the 24th April 1906, from the
District Magistrate of Bangalore
[Print in extenso with
the enclosures]